

## APPLICATION (Revised April 2008) 22ND CIRCUIT JUDICIAL COMMISSION CIRCUIT JUDGE

E QUESTIONS WILL BE MADE PUBLIC IF THE APPLICANT IS MINEE.

NAME: Elizabeth (Beth) Byrne Hogan

. State your present principal occupation: Associate Circuit Judge

- 2. Are you at least 30 years of age? Yes
- 3. (a) How long have you been a citizen of the United States? Forty-four (44) years
  - (b) Have you been a resident of the City of St. Louis for at least one year immediately prior to the date of this application? Yes
  - (c) How long have you been a qualified voter of Missouri? Twenty six years
- 4. Are you licensed to practice law in Missouri? Yes

List any other states, courts, or agencies in which you are licensed as an attorney: N/a

5. State the date you were admitted to the Bar in Missouri? October 4, 1996

Missouri Bar Number: 48160

(In completing items 6 and 7, please account for all time periods between post-high school education and the date of this application.)

- 6. State the name and address of all colleges and universities you have attended, together with the dates and degrees received: DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, B.A. Political Science, 1990; Thomas M. Cooley Law School, Lansing, Michigan, J.D., 1996 (before attending law school, I worked at Sullivan & Cromwell in Washington, D.C. and Linstedt, Bueno & Gordon in Portand, Oregon between 1990 and 1993; see attached resume)
- 7. State, in chronological order, your entire working career, including non-legal employment, if any. Include the name and address of each firm, corporation, partnership, or governmental body with which you have been associated, and the dates thereof. (Start with earliest date,

conclude with present.) See attached resume.

- 8. If you are presently an associate circuit judge and have served for two years or longer, attach a list of ten significant cases over which you presided to completion. Set forth the style, cause number, date and name and current address of the primary attorneys participating in each case, identifying the party each attorney represented. Indicate whether bench or jury tried and give a one-three sentence description of each case and its outcome. See attached
  - (b) In addition, you may attach a list of cases you tried as an attorney in the last five years before becoming a judge. Set forth the style, cause number, date and jurisdiction and identify who you represented, whether you were first or second chair and the name and address of opposing counsel. State for each case whether bench or jury tried and give a one-three sentence description of each case and its outcome.
- 9. Are you able, with or without a reasonable accommodation, to perform the essential functions of a judge including the ability to preside over trials, perform legal research, attend court anywhere in the state, communicate clearly and effectively both orally and in writing, and expeditiously decide issues coming before the court? Yes
- 10. If you have never served as an associate circuit judge or have served for fewer than two years, attach a list of cases you have tried in the last five years. Set forth the style, cause number, date, and court, and identify who you represented, whether you were first or second chair, and the name and address of opposing counsel. Indicate for each case whether bench or jury tried and provide a one to three sentence description of each case and its outcome. If, during any of the last five years, you served as a commissioner or in any other judicial capacity, set forth the dates of same and a description of the duties performed.
- 11. Have you briefed or argued any case in an appellate court? Yes

  If yes, attach a list showing the citation for each case and describe the extent of your participation in briefing and arguing the case. See attached
- 12. Set forth any additional information that demonstrates the quality of your legal work as an attorney.
- 13. Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony? No
  - If yes, provide details, including the style of the case, cause number, name of the jurisdiction, and date of conviction:
- 14. Have you ever been sued by a client or been a party to any other litigation, other than as guardian ad litem, plaintiff ad litem or defendant ad litem? Yes, I have been sued in my capacity as a judge. Please see attached for list of cases, all of which to my knowledge have been summarily dismissed.
  - If yes, provide details, including the style of the case, cause number, name of the jurisdiction

and the approximate year in which such litigation was commenced and in which it was terminated:

15. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for breach of ethics or professional conduct by a court or by any bar association or committee thereof? No.

If yes, provide details:

16. Have you ever been held in contempt of court? No.

If yes, provide details:

- 17. If you are or were a member of the Judiciary of the State of Missouri, please state:
  - (a) Whether an order of reprimand, removal, retirement, suspension or other disciplinary action has ever been entered against you by the Supreme Court of Missouri for breach of the Code of Judicial Conduct or the Canons of Judicial Conduct? If yes, state the nature of such breach, the date discipline was imposed and the exact nature and duration of the discipline imposed: N/a
  - (b) Whether a reprimand or admonishment has ever been entered against you by the Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline for any of the causes specified in Rule 12.07 of the Supreme Court Rules Governing the Judiciary. No.
    - If yes, provide details including date the order was entered, the date of your consent, and a description of the conduct you were ordered to cease and desist:
  - (c) Whether, to your knowledge, you have been a subject of a complaint and investigation by the Commission on Retirement, Removal and Discipline, which did not result in any action by the Commission? If yes, provide details: Not to my knowledge.
- 18. To your knowledge, have you been investigated by a court or by any bar association or committee thereof for breach of ethics or professional conduct? No.

If yes, provide details:

- 19. List all bar associations and other professional societies, of which you are a member, with any offices held and dates: Missouri Bar, Lawyers Association of Saint Louis; Women Lawyers Association; Association of Associate Circuit Court Judges, Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis
- 20. Describe your community activities, including any organizations, not listed above, with which you are affiliated:

St. Roch Catholic Church, Women of Saint Roch-President 2010-2011 (oversee all activities sponsored by Women of Saint Roch, member of Parish Council); Vice President -2008-2009

St. Roch CYC basketball assistant coach, 2007, 2008, 2009

Skinker Debalivere Community Council-Homecoming Silent Auction Chairman, 2010, 2011;

Girl Scouts of Greater Saint Louis, Cookie Chairman, Visitation Academy, Troop 3921

Girl Scout leader and Cookie Manager (2005-2007), St. Roch troop

Wydown Fortnightly, board member, 2010-present

St. Louis Public Schools Teachers' series judge (Saint Louis University) 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012

National Mock Trial Competition Judge, 2011

Member, St. Louis Zoo, Missouri Botanical Garden, Forest Park Forever, St. Louis Art Museum, Magic House

21. Do you now hold or have you ever held any elective or appointive public office or position?

If yes, provide details:

I was appointed by Governor Matt Blunt as an Associate Circuit Judge in 2005. I was retained by the voters in the general elections of 2006 and in 2010.

Appointed by Missouri Supreme Court to Civic Education Committee, 2011 (Justice Patricia Breckinridge, chair); re-appointed 2012; member of ICivics subcommittee; Review and Evaluation subcommittee

Appointed by Presiding Judges since 2005 to serve on the Rules Committee; Advisory Committee; Drug Court Committee; Family Court Committee

elected to Board of Directors for Women in Transition, summer 2012

- 22. Provide the branches and dates of (a) military service, or (b) other public service, not otherwise covered in this application. If discharged from the military, was the discharge other than honorable? If military service continues, so state: Not applicable
- 23. List any professional articles or books which have been published or any special recognition or award of a professional nature which you have received: Not applicable

- 24. Furnish the names and addresses, including zip codes and telephone numbers of not more than five persons, who are not judges, as references with respect to your judicial qualifications:
  - 1. Monsignor Sal Polizzi St. Roch Waterman St. Louis, Mo 63112 (314) 721-2595
  - 2. Michael K. Kielty, Esq.60 Hill Pointe Court, Suite 202Saint Charles, Mo 63303(636) 940-7771
  - 3. Daniel Underwood, Esq. Managing Attorney Children's Legal Alliance Legal Services of Eastern Missouri St. Louis, Mo (314) 256-8715
  - 4. Jessica Kennedy, Esq. Berry & Maxon, L.L.C. 16150 Main Circle Drive, Suite 120 St. Louis, Mo 63017 (314) 480-5879
  - 5. Allison Lee, Esq.Paule, Camazine & Blumenthal, P.C.165 North Meremac Avenue, Suite 110Clayton, Missouri 63105(314) 480-3479
- 25. State any additional data you deem relevant:

By my signature to this application, I authorize: (1) the Commission by its chairperson to obtain relevant information, including but not limited to documents, records and files with respect to my medical, police or disciplinary records, and (2) the Commission and its members to obtain additional relevant information regarding my qualifications as well as the accuracy of my responses to the questions on this application, with the understanding that the information described in (1) and (2) above is available only to the members of the Twenty-Second Circuit Judicial Commission. Notwithstanding the above, in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 10, as amended effective February 29, 2008, if I am one of the three nominees listed on the certificate of nomination sent to the Governor, I authorize the Commission to send a complete copy of this application to the Governor and publicly release a copy of the application with personal and confidential information redacted as identified on the cover page of this application.